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IN THE CLAIMS:

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5. (Amended) A misting apparatus for cooling a local area in the vicinity of
a person by evaporative cooling, comprising:
a pressurizable container for supplying water, said container having a water outlet and
an inlet for filling said container, and said container including a first water conduit within said
5 container for supplying water to a water outlet;
means for pressurizing the container;
a second water conduit connected to said first water conduit, said second water
conduit having a distal end;
a spray nozzle secured to the distal end of the second water conduit and in fluid
10 communication with said second water conduit, said spray nozzle delivering a fine evaporative
cooling mist of water in the vicinity of a person for cooling the person when pressurized water is
supplied to said spray nozzle; and
a restrictive valve connected to said second water conduit for controlling flow of
water to said spray nozzle [connected to said second conduit].

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6. (Amended) The misting apparatus of claim 5, further comprising means for attaching said second water conduit disposed on said second water conduit [communicating water].

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8. (Amended) The misting apparatus of claim 5, wherein said container further comprises means for sealing said inlet for filling [adding water to] the container.

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11. (Amended) A system for cooling a person, the system comprising:
a pressurizable container for supplying water having a water outlet and an inlet for filling said container;
a first water conduit for fluidly communicating water within said container to said water outlet;
means for pressurizing the container removably mounted to said inlet of said container to create a seal with said container;
a second water conduit extending from said water outlet, said second water conduit having a distal end and a proximal end, said proximal end connected to said container;
at least one spray nozzle secured at the distal end of the second water conduit [tube] and in fluid communication therewith, said spray nozzle delivering a fine evaporative cooling mist of water in the vicinity of the person when pressurized water is communicated to the spray nozzle;
means for securing the container to the person; and